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BOX PATENT APPLICATION Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Takashi MIKI, Hideki USHIO and Isao KURIMOTO

PRODUCTION OF MIXED ACID ANHYDRIDE AND AMIDE COMPOUND

Assignee: SUMITOMO CHEMICAL CO., LTD.

Our Ref. Q64808

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including 55 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract. The executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

TOTAL FEE				_	\$1160.00
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee					\$270.00
Base Fee					\$710.00
Independent claims	2 - 3	=	X	\$80.00 = _	
Total claims	30 20	=	<u>10</u> x	\$18.00 = _	\$180.00

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$1160.00 is attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from June 2, 2000 based on Japanese Application No. 2000-165748. The priority document will be filed at a later date.

> Respectfully submitted, SUGHRUE, MION, ZINN, MACPEAK & SEAS, PLLC Attorneys for Applicant

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